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Dear Professor Schmidt,

We have received a report on your manuscript from our referee. The report indicates that your paper does not meet the high standards required for publication in Discrete Mathematics.

Rather than continue to seek a second report, I have decided not to further delay our response. It would be the same unless the second report turned out to be unexpectedly enthusiastic, and then we would need a third report. The chances of success are very small, so I think it is in your best interest to move on without further delay to the next stage of seeking to publish your manuscript elsewhere.

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Thank you for your interest in our journal. I hope for a more positive result next time.

Yours sincerely, Ae Ja Yee Associate Editor **Discrete Mathematics**

Reviewers' comments:

Reviewer #1: I think that the results are correct and new. However, they seem esoteric without examples that tie them to something that is either appealing, interesting, useful of exciting. Thus I cannot recommend the paper for acceptance in Discrete Math.

Also, it seems that the paper is written a bit carelessly. For instance, page 2, line 8, \hat{a} n should be a n or \tilde{a} n? In Reference [6], page numbers are wrong.